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- X 1. An application consisting of 23 pages of specification, claims, and abstract, and 9 sheets of formal drawings is attached.
- X 2. A newly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
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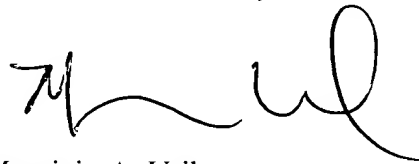
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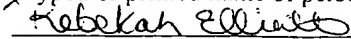
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